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In re Application of:  
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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Applicants respectfully request a four-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed February 4, 1998, for which a response period expiring on May 4, 1998 was set. The extended period expires on January 6, 1999.

A check number 303574 is included in the amount of \$2120.00 for the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) extension and the 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (r) filing fee for the § 1.129 (a) submission. Please charge any additional fees required in connection with this communication to the deposit account of **Howrey & Simon**, deposit account number 08-3038. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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